

## Eastern Kentucky News

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### JACKSON COUNTY.

Circuit court convened in this county last Monday. So far there have been but two felony convictions. A young man by the name of Callahan was convicted for forging an order on Robert Benge, of Owsley Fork, to Powell Bros' store. He received a three year sentence. The other was Jas. Brummett for the burning of A. J. Smith's store. He received a five year sentence. The jury which tried the latter case was selected from Rockcastle county. There were two felony cases continued and two are to be tried this week.—The best way to eliminate the courts of so many crimes is through our public schools. When we have a better system of public schools, and that would necessarily mean longer terms and well enforced compulsory school law, our young men will have something else to do besides murder or burn store houses. In fact they will be educated above such atrocious crimes as now fill the criminal dockets.—There is a great deal of typhoid fever in this county. The following teachers have been compelled to dismiss their schools on account of being afflicted with the disease. Jno. F. Dean, teacher in district 1. Miss Julia Dyche, teacher in district 31. Miss Martha Lake, teacher in district 13. J. J. Davis, teacher in district 67.—The teacher's association held at Longbranch school house, district 38, was a success.—Next teachers' association will be held at Tyner Sept. 26.

### KERBY KNOB.

The ten days' meeting conducted by Rev. James Parsons, of Berea, closed Monday with thirty-two additions. We all hope to have another such meeting here before the year closes.—Rev G. V. Coker preached at Clover Bottom Saturday and Sunday.—Mr. G. S. Dearborn, of Butler, Ky., was called home to see his wife, who is much worse.—Mr. John Simpson, our clever lumberman, has gone to Dry Ridge to see home folks.—Mr. Robert Click cut his foot very badly last Monday.—Miss Lucy Parsons, of McKee, will start to Berea Tuesday in order to get everything ready for entering school. If all the students would make their preparations early, they would have a much easier time entering.—Mr. Albert Powell was kicked by a mule, knocking out two of his teeth and injuring him in the stomach.—The Teachers' Association meeting at Long Branch Saturday was a success. Among the most honored teachers were Messrs. Will Blanton and Sidney Combs, of Berea. Mr. Will Flanery also attended the teachers' meeting.—Quarterly Court is in session at McKee now.—David and Miss Dougherty, also Mrs. W. J. Dougherty, went to Valley View for a visit last week.

### OWSLEY COUNTY. TRAVELERS REST.

Sunday school is progressing nicely here, with Miss Matilda Minter as superintendent.—Stephen Caudell is teaching school at this place with much success. He has a large attendance.—A memorial service held last Sunday at the cemetery on the hill opposite J. B. Rowlett's was largely attended.—W. P. Minter and G. C. Smith are each rejoicing over the arrival of a fine boy baby in his home.—The patrons of No. 40 are glad to have J. D. Crech as their teacher once more.—Perry Begley, the successful merchant at this place, has taken a fine drove of sheep to Richmond.

### CONKLING.

Crops of all kinds are looking well in this vicinity. Married, on the tenth, Willie Neely and Emma Harvey. The wedding was a very pleasant affair. Jim Moore and Mrs. Eliza Moore visited friends on Cow Creek last week.—E. Neely has sold out his stock of goods on Island Creek.—Lee Gibson is having splendid success in his school.—Married, on the fourth, Charlie Eversole and Ida McCollum.—Daisy Moore is visiting friends.—Married, on the tenth, Marion Peters and Easter Reynolds.—Success to THE CITIZEN and its many readers.

### GABBARD.

Charlie, Jake, and John L. Gabbard have all had wells drilled recently.—R. W. Minter lost a fine steer last week.—Neal Moore, of Jackson county, was here Thursday.—Foddering is all the go with the farmers at

present.—L. F. Cole is in the logging business this fall.—James Gabbard and brother Meredith visited relatives on Cow Creek Saturday and Sunday.—Mrs. C. B. Moore, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, is much improved at this writing.—Miss Clara Green died recently after an illness of six weeks.—George Fox and wife, of Lower Buffalo, visited at J. L. Gabbards Monday. They had been visiting relatives at Sebastian.—

### ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

#### ROCKFORD.

There is a protracted meeting going on at West Scaffold Cane this week. W. H. Stephens and wife visited home folks on Davis Branch Sunday.—M. B. McGuire, of Crooked Creek, was on Scaffold Cane Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Martin visited their daughter Mrs. Bettie Ogg, of Walnut Meadow, Friday.—I. S. Martin and wife were the guests of "Squire" J. M. Reynolds Sunday.—Died, Sept. 6, W. R. Stephens, an old and respected citizen of Scaffold Cane. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss. May God comfort them in their bereavement. A large number of people were present at the burial at Scaffold Cane.—Isaac Martin and wife were in Berea Friday.

#### BOONE.

Rev. L. A. Rowlette, of Disputanta, filled his appointment at Fairview Saturday and Sunday.—It is reported that the house of Mrs. Jane Huff, of Hickory Grove, was robbed last week and then burned to the ground.—Mrs. Nannie Parker and Mrs. Susie Lewis, Snider Switch, visited Mrs. Cynthia Cornelius, of Copper Creek Monday.—Mrs. Daisy Lambert, of Boone, and Mrs. Sinda Richmond, of Rockford, visited Rev. J. W. Lambert and wife Sunday.—Lee Wren is very low with fever at this writing.—Wm. Kirby, who has been sick for some time, is slowly recovering.—Jesse Wren and James Lambert visited the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Lambert, of Rockford Sunday.—Jas. Richmond visited Joseph Wren Sunday.—Miss Mollie Owens went to Boone last week on business, and visited Mrs. Daisy Lambert.—Mrs. Mary Wren is visiting her daughter at Paint Lick.

### MADISON COUNTY.

#### HICKORY PLAINS.

Several from this place attended the Pilot Knob Association last Tuesday and Wednesday.—Quite a number of young people enjoyed our ice cream and cake social at the school house Thursday night.—Sallie Bush spent Sunday with Misses Maggie and Pearl Adams.—Frank Foley, Caleb Adams, and sisters Margaret and Rena, with their graphophone, visited Bud Bush and family Friday night.—Daniel Maupin and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Moore, near Wallacetown.—Mrs. Etta Kinnard and sister, Miss Lizzie Burdette, are visiting at Lancaster.

#### WALLACETOWN.

G. B. Gabbard has gone to McKee, Jackson county, on a visit.—L. Elkins and wife were the guests of Warren Elkins and wife Sunday.—Miss Sallie Cade was the guest of her cousins Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Saturday and Sunday.—A protracted meeting commences here Tuesday night conducted by Rev. Wills, assisted by Rev. Wolford, late of Lancaster, Ky.—Mr. and Mrs. Gib Gaffney were the guests of Mr. Gaffney's parents Sunday.—Binam Pitts and Will Weaver went to Illinois Friday night.

### GARRARD COUNTY.

#### CARTERSVILLE.

The Baptists closed an interesting protracted meeting at this place Friday with about six conversions.—A two weeks meeting at Good Hope also closed Sunday. Result, 6 baptisms.—Level Green is again without a pastor. Bro. McIntosh preached his last sermon Sunday night.—Married, Thursday evening at the residence of Rev. F. P. Bryant, his beautiful daughter Lou, to Mr. Milton Jennings. All the cow bells and shot guns were brought into requisition Friday night, and we all knew what that meant. We wish you God speed, Mr. and Mrs. Jennings; let your light shine while you are yet young.—James Cheat has moved back to this neighborhood.—Mrs. Tom is expecting to visit her daughter in Louisville in a few days.

### A PRINTER'S CONFESSION.

It Landed S. D. Dempsey in a Cell at West Point.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 15.—The Hardin county grand jury will be called upon to investigate the sensational attempts to destroy the newspaper plant of the Beacon, a weekly newspaper at West Point, and the authorship of anonymous letters threatening Dr. Ben Morrison, the editor of the paper. S. D. Dempsey, a printer employed on the paper and whose life it had been thought was threatened by the unknown offender, has been arrested, and, in a confession, has admitted that he himself threw the stones through the windows which "piled" the type and destroyed the forms, and that he sent anonymous letters, one to himself and one to Dr. Morrison.

### KILLING AT MIDDLESBORO.

Frank Zuliger Killed By Clay Colson Monday Afternoon.

Middlesboro, Ky., 15.—Frank Zuliger, formerly of Cincinnati but lately employed by the New South Brewery and Ice Co., of this city, was shot and killed Monday afternoon by Clay Colson. The shooting occurred in the rear of the brewery and there were no witnesses. Zuliger was found shot through the head and a 38-caliber revolver with three chambers empty was lying by his side. The Colson family is one of the most prominent in Kentucky.

### THINK IT WAS FOUL PLAY.

Body of William Middleton Found on the Track at Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 15.—The mangled body of William Middleton, 24 years of age, was found on the Louisville & Nashville railroad track at a secluded spot half way between the roundhouse and Highland Park at 5:30 o'clock Sunday morning. The authorities believe that Middleton met with foul play, and that the body was laid on the tracks to hide a crime.

### Three Nominees For State Offices.

Ashtand, Ky., Sept. 15.—Ashtand will furnish candidates for three of the most important state offices. Each of the parties are represented. Hon. S. W. Hager is a candidate on the Democratic ticket for auditor; Hon. J. B. Wilhoit, candidate for lieutenant governor; Olaf Pearson, socialist candidate for secretary of state. The socialists will have a candidate for circuit judge and commonwealth's attorney.

### Fought With a Catamount.

Middlesboro, Ky., Sept. 15.—J. F. Cunningham, a photographer, had a fight with a monster catamount at the edge of this city early Monday, and killed the animal with a rock. Cunningham was coming to Middlesboro, when the cat sprang upon him. He knocked the animal off and hit it in the head with a rock. One blow killed it.

### Farmers Indulge in a Fist Fight.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 15.—E. T. Hume and E. L. Parker, residing on adjoining farms, indulged in a fist fight in this city Monday. Hume was knocked down. Parker was put under a peace bond of \$1,000. Hume is a brother-in-law of James P. McCann, who is alleged to have been murdered in St. Louis.

### Two Were Held For Murder.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 15.—The examining trial of Mrs. Nannie Smith Cox, William Burtram and his son, Jordan Burtram, charged with murdering Mrs. Cox's husband, William Cox, was finished Monday in Benton, Marshall county, and the two former were held. Jordan Burtram was excused.

### Jack Farrell's Father Dead.

Covington, Ky., Sept. 15.—Patrick Farrell, 67, father of "Jack" Farrell, of the St. Louis National league team, died Monday morning from an operation which was performed several days ago. The funeral will take place Wednesday morning from the St. Patrick's church.

### Attorney Harvey Myers Robbed.

Covington, Ky., Sept. 15.—Burglars broke into the law office of Attorney Harvey Myers, at Fourth and Scott streets, some time during Monday night and jimmied open his desk. They carried away a gold watch and chain, and about \$137 in money.

### Congressman Boreling's Condition.

London, Ky., Sept. 15.—There has been a decided improvement in the condition of Congressman Boreling, and his physicians are confident he will recover. His temperature is now 99 and his pulse 96. His breathing is free and his lungs are clearing.

### Struck Flow of Sulphur Water.

Owingsville, Ky., Sept. 15.—While drilling a well on W. J. Fell's property at Salt Lick, this county, a strong flow of salt sulphur water similar to that of Olympia Springs was struck. A company will be formed at once and a hotel erected there.

### A Prolonged Drought.

Winchester, Ky., Sept. 15.—On account of a prolonged drought the water works reservoir is almost empty, and the company has been obliged to shut off the supply and reserve the remainder for fire protection.

### Takes Poison and Dies.

Flemingsburg, Ky., Sept. 15.—Miss Hester Hendrickson, aged 20 years, committed suicide near Mt. Carmel, in this county, by taking poison. No cause is known for the act.

Statistics show that 29,470 bodies were cremated in France last year.

### Kentucky State News Items.

#### SHOT HIM DEAD.

A Sheriff's Posse Searching For Harry Craik and Green Strong.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 16.—A message from Booneville, Ky., says that a sheriff's posse has been seeking Harry Craik and Green Strong, accused of the killing of their friend, Jason Isaacs, 26, while he was returning to his home, near Booneville, at night. It is claimed he met the two men, and invited them home with him, but resented a remark they made about his newly wedded wife. He feared trouble, and went to a friend's house and secured a shotgun. It is claimed the men intercepted Isaacs later and shot him dead.

#### ANIMAL TRAINER HURT.

The Lioness He Was Training Flew at His Throat.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 16.—"Sultana," a lioness of the Ferrari Bros.' carnival, sprang at the throat of her trainer, Capt. Peter Cardona, Tuesday afternoon and bit him five times, lacerating his arm, which he had thrown up to protect himself. Employees of the wild animal show sprang to the rescue with iron poles and pistols, shooting and poking the animal away. Cardona was carried to the hospital on the carnival grounds and his wounds were cauterized. He will recover. "Sultana" has killed four men.

#### W. E. Gatlin Was Acquitted.

Henderson, Ky., Sept. 16.—W. E. Gatlin, charged with the murder of Cabell Beverley, in this city, the latter part of March of the present year, was acquitted by a jury in the circuit court. Previous threats and self-defense was the plea put up by his attorneys. Gatlin is a tobaccoist, and is well known in Louisville society circles.

#### Fifty Shots Exchanged.

Sergeant, Ky., Sept. 16.—Deputy Sheriffs "Bear" Johnson and George Ison surprised David and John Hollinsworth, brothers, and Hart Kelley, brother to Jim Kelly, who escaped from the Whitesburg jail a week ago, and arrested them on Elkhorn creek, after a fierce fight, in which 50 shots were fired.

#### Lexington Hospitals Are Crowded.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 16.—The hospitals in Lexington are so crowded that no more patients can be taken. A little girl was transferred from the Good Samaritan to St. Joseph's, but that institution could not accommodate her, and she was sent to Louisville. There are numerous cases of typhoid fever.

#### Shot at Railway Employees.

Cynthiana, Ky., Sept. 16.—A man was arrested here on the charge of attempting to kill Everett Thompson, conductor, and a brakeman on an L. & N. freight train. The conductor and brakeman put him off the train and he drew a pistol and shot three times at the conductor and twice at the brakeman.

#### A Kentucky Victim.

Bowling Green, Ky., Sept. 16.—The remains of Lester J. Lewis, of Oakland, this county, have been received in New York from the Philippines. He was in the regular army, and while hunting about a year ago was shot from ambush and killed. The remains will be sent here for burial.

#### Goebel Murder Cases Continued.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 16.—The cases of Gov. W. S. Taylor, ex-Secretary of State Charles Finley, Capt. John L. Powers, a brother of Caleb Powers, and others, charged with complicity in the Goebel murder conspiracy, were called in the Franklin circuit court and continued.

#### Preparing For the Maneuvers.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 16.—The war department has shipped 3,500,000 blank smokeless cartridges for use at the West Point maneuvers. The artillery will probably use smokeless powder. The camp will be named in honor of Gen. Young.

#### His Plan Fell Through.

Bowling Green, Ky., Sept. 16.—The plan of Maj. E. H. Watt to have an encampment of the First battalion of the Third regiment in this city prior to the regiment going to the West Point school of instruction has fallen through.

#### Lodge Anniversary Celebration.

Harrodsburg, Ky., Sept. 16.—Montgomery lodge of Odd Fellows of this place will celebrate their 59th anniversary here Friday, September 18, with an old fashioned picnic. Most of the business houses of the town will be closed.

#### The Louisville Tobacco Market.

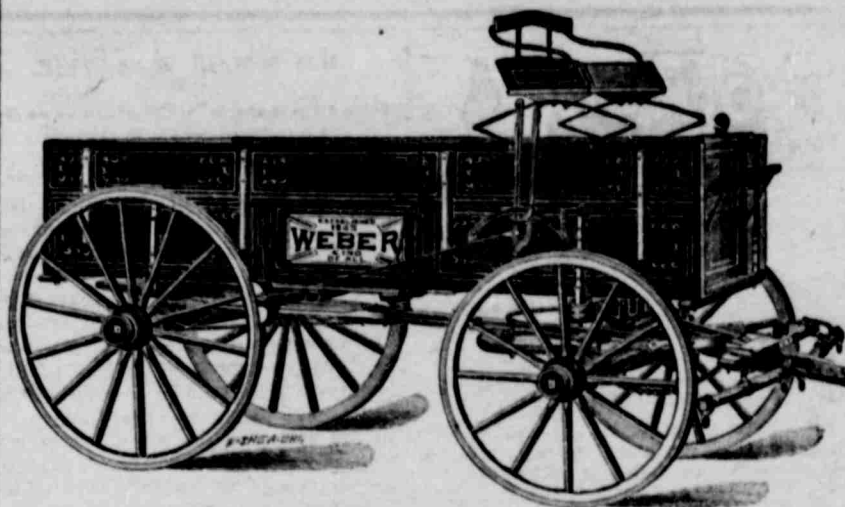
Louisville, Ky., Sept. 16.—There was no material change in the tobacco market Tuesday. The offerings were 889 hhds, of which 78 hhds were dark and 2 hhds burley. Dark ranged from \$4.50 to \$7.90; the burley sold for \$6.50.

#### Will Supervise the Shops.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 16.—Prof. F. Paul Anderson has been appointed as expert in charge of the exhibits in shop practice at the World's fair. Anderson is dean of the mechanical engineering school at the state college here.

#### Many Indictments to Be Returned.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 16.—More witnesses are being summoned before the present grand jury than ever before, and an official of the court stated that they expected at least 200 indictments to be returned.



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